

**TOWN OF NEWFIELDS BOARD OF SELECTMEN  
MEETING MINUTES  
TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 21, 2012**

***Present: Selectmen: Michael Woodworth and Tom Hayward. Others include: Chief Reed, Clay Mitchell, Brian Knipstein, Bob Elliot, Bill Meserve, Louisa McClure and Susan McClure .***

***Call to order at 6:35 pm.***

The Selectmen reviewed and signed:

- Checks
- Abatement (210-39)
- Supplemental Warrant Prop. Tax Levy

Chief Reed updated the Board on the expenses for the Dispatch Budget (\$8,000.00) for 2012:

- Air cards \$1,440.00
- I.M.C. Maintenance \$560.00
- Crime Line Computer \$4,500.00
- T-1 Line \$300.00

The Board will consider changes during the preparation of the 2013 Budget. The Chief also updated the Selectmen on the civil matter on 17 Piscassic Rd. Tom will contact Fran Lane and update the Board.

Clay Mitchell and Brian Knipstein met with the Selectmen to discuss the Sidewalks on Piscassic Rd from the school to Meadow/ Old Lee and Dixon. A motion was made by Michael to authorize Brian Knipstein, Road Agent, to spend up to \$6,000.00(Six Thousand Dollars) for the Engineer to plan the sidewalks to Old Lee Rd from the Sidewalk Capital Reserve, seconded by Tom. All were in favor and the motion passed.

The Board discussed the use of the Marquee at the Town Hall.

The increases for the Water & Sewer were reviewed by the Selectmen.

The new contract for Bestway was discussed by the Board.

Bob Elliot & Bill Meserve discussed a code enforcement issue on the private property of Louisa McClure with the Board. Clay Mitchell suggested a voluntary compliance plan with benchmarks among the two parties. Clay will keep the Board updated.

Minutes of the February 8th meeting were read. Motion was made to accept as written by Michael, and seconded by Wes. All were in favor and the motion carried.

At 8:40 pm, Wes made a motion to adjourn the meeting. The motion was seconded by Michael. The motion passed with all in favor.

Respectfully submitted,

Donna C. Newman  
Deputy Town Clerk